

Amendment to Specification:

Please amend the paragraph starting on page 1, line 3,  
entitled, "Related Applications" as follows:

5        This application claims the benefit of attorney docket  
number 1196, application serial number 60/261,599 entitled,  
"System and Method for Offloading Responses to Network  
Communications" filed on January 12, 2001 by Van Jacobson,  
and attorney docket number 1276, application serial number  
10      [[60/AAA,AAA]] 60/337,229, entitled "Method and Apparatus  
for Establishing a Secure Connection" filed on December 3,  
2001 by Van Jacobson and Kedar Poduri, and is related to  
attorney docket number 1197, application serial number  
60/261,598, entitled "Method and Apparatus for Efficient  
15      Input/Output of a Computer System" filed on January 12,  
2001 by Van Jacobson, and each is incorporated herein by  
reference in its entirety.